#### AWARDS LUNCHEON COMMITTEE REPORT

## **Sponsorships**

Diamond Sponsors \$3,000-Kaiser, LA World Airports, Mattel, Inc.

Silver Sponsor \$1,500-Marlborough School, QueensCare

### **Table and Ads**

Supervisor Knabe has purchased three tables and we are waiting for confirmation on table and ad purchases from the other Supervisors. We have approximately 10 full page ads, 2 ½ page ads, and 6 quarter page ads purchased and are expecting a few more. We have approximately 250 guests and will expect to reach 400-500 guests.

### MC/Awardees/Entertainment

All awardees have confirmed their attendance. Our MC this year is Asha Blake. Please visit her website <a href="www.goldenheartmedia.com">www.goldenheartmedia.com</a> to learn more about her accomplishments and television appearances.

The Honor Guard from the Fire Department will present the Colors and the Marlborough School Chamber Choir will be singing the National Anthem and a beautiful rendition of "Lean on Me".

## **Silent Auction**

Commissioner Creary has contacted Noni Higgins and Ms. Higgins has agreed to donate one of her painting that can be auctioned off. Other items for the Silent Auction, that will take place in the Tiffany Room adjacent to the ballroom, are a painting that President Becerra Jones is donating, and a gift certificate for a personal trainer donated by past awardee and fitness expert Antonia Routt.

# <u>Flowers</u>

Each year, on a rotational basis, the Commission has asked the Board Office to donate the flowers for the event. This year it is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Districts turn and staff has sent an inquiry to Deputy Joan Crear.

# **Invitations**

If you would like us to mail out invitations on your behalf, please provide us with the addresses.

# **Commissioners**

If you are planning to attend the luncheon, please let staff know so a badge and corsage can be reserved for you. Also, if you would like to assist with setting up prior to the luncheon, we will be there by 9:00 a.m.